

UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

Docket No.
BO 40319Prior Application Examiner
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1302**T the Assistant C mmissi ner f r Patents:**

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:
Paulus Cornelis Maria VAN EIJCK and Erwin Theofiel DE WAELE
corresponding to patent application 09/125,363, filed September 1, 1998, entitled: PROCESS FOR PRODUCING A FRIED FOODSTUFF.

Enclosed are:

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | The certified copy of foreign application No. 96200400.8, filed February 16, 1996, in Europe has been filed in prior application Serial No. 09/125,363, filed September 1, 1998. |
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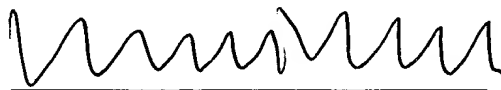
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